FORM 4

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP

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1. Name and Address of Reporting Person* MONHEIT BARRY M					<u>SN</u>	2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol SMITH & WESSON HOLDING CORP [SWB]									heck all	applicable) irector	ng Person(s) to Is		wner
(Last) (First) (Middle) 2100 ROOSEVELT AVENUE						3. Date of Earliest Transaction (Month/Day/Year) 12/16/2004										fficer (give title elow)	Other (spe below)		
(Street) SPRING:		MA State)	01102 (Zip)		4. 11	4. If Amendment, Date of Original Filed (Month/Day/Year)									ne) X F F	or Joint/Group Filing (Check Applicable orm filed by One Reporting Person orm filed by More than One Reporting erson			
		Ta	ole I - No	n-Deriv	ative/	Se	curitie	s Ac	quired,	Dis	posed o	f, or	Bene	eficia	ally Ov	ned			
1. Title of Security (Instr. 3) 2. Transac Date (Month/Da						Execution Date,			Code (Transaction Disposed Of Code (Instr. 5)					nd Se Be Ov	Amount of curities neficially ned Following ported	6. Owners Form: Dire (D) or Indi (I) (Instr. 4	ect rect	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership
									Code	v	Amount	(A (I	A) or O)	Price	Tra	nsaction(s) str. 3 and 4)			(Instr. 4)
Common Stock 12/16/					6/2004	2004			P		1,100		A	\$1.4	49	210,800	D		
	Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)																		
1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercis Price of Derivative Security		3A. Deem Execution if any (Month/Da	n Date,		sansaction of Deriv. Securical Acquired (A) or Dispo of (D) (Instr. and 5)		ative rities ired osed	6. Date E Expiratio (Month/D	n Date ay/Ye	•	7. Title and Amount of Securities Underlying Derivative Security (Instr. and 4) Amour or Numbe of		ount nber	8. Price Derivati Security (Instr. 5)	derivative Securities	Owner Form: Direct or Indi (I) (Ins	(D) rect	11. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)

Explanation of Responses:

Remarks:

John Kelly, as attorney-in-fact 12/17/2004

** Signature of Reporting Person

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4 (b)(v).
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